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By the KING,

A PROCLAMATION,

For a General Fast.

GEORGE R.

WHereas we have been obliged, for vindicating the Honour of our Crown, securing the Trade and Navigation of our Subjects, and defending our undoubted Rights, to declare War againſt the King of Spain, and are determined to proſecute the ſame with the utmoſt Vigour, till, by the Bleſſing of God on our Arms, we ſhall obtain that Satisfaction and Security which we may hope from the Juſtice of our Cauſe; we therefore, putting our Truſt in the Divine Aſſiſtance, have reſolved, and do, by and with the Advice of our Privy Council, hereby command, that a publick Faſt and Humiliation be obſerved throughout that Part of our Kingdom of Great Britain called England, our Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick upon Tweed, upon Wedneſday the Twenty-fifth Day of November next; that ſo both We and our People may humble ourſelves before Almighty God, in order to obtain Pardon for our Sins, and may, in moſt devout and ſolem Manner ſend our Prayers and Supplications to the Divine Majeſty for averting thoſe heavy Judgments, which our manifold Sins and Provocations have moſt juſtly deſerved; and imploring his Bleſſing and Aſſiſtance on our Arms, and for reſtoring and perpetuating Peace, Safety and Proſperity to us and our Kingdoms. And we do ſtrictly charge and command, that the ſaid publick Faſt be reverently and decently obſerved by all our Loving Subjects in England, our Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick upon Tweed, as they tender the Favour of Almighty God, and would avoid his Wrath and Indignation, and upon Pain of ſuch Puniſhment as we may juſtly inflict on all ſuch as contemn and neglect the Performance of ſo religious and neceſſary a Duty. And for the better and more orderly ſolemnizing the ſame, we have given Directions to the moſt Reverend the Archbiſhops and the Right Reverend the Biſhops of England, to compoſe a Form of Prayer ſuitable to this Occaſion, to be uſed in all Churches, Chapels, and Places of publick Worſhip, and to take Care the ſame be timely diſperſed throughout their reſpective Dioceſes.

Given at our Court at St. James's the Twenty-ſecond Day of October 1741, in the Fifteenth Year of our Reign.

GOD Save the King.

(Price Two-Pence.)

By the King,

A PROCLAMATION,

For a General Faſt.

GEORGE R.

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Given at our Court at St. James's, the Twenty-ſecond Day of October 1741, and in the Fifteenth Year of our Reign.

GOD ſave the King.

By the KING,

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE R.

WHereas our Parliament, which we ſummoned to meet at Weſtminſter, on Thurſday the Twenty-fifth Day of June laſt, ſtands prorogued to Tueſday the Twenty-ſeventh Day of this Inſtant October; We, by the Advice of our Privy Council, do hereby publiſh and declare, that the ſaid Parliament ſhall be further prorogued, on the ſaid Twenty-ſeventh Day of this Inſtant October, to Tueſday the Firſt Day of December next; and We have given Order to our Chancellor of Great-Britain to prepare a Writ Patent under our Great Seal for proroguing the ſame accordingly: And We do further hereby declare our Pleaſure, that the ſaid Parliament ſhall, on the ſaid Firſt Day of December, be held and ſit for the Diſpatch of divers weighty and important Affairs: And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgeſſes, and the Commiſſioners for Shires and Burghs of the Houſe of Commons, are hereby required to give their Attendance accordingly at Weſtminſter, on the ſaid Firſt Day of December next.

Given at our Court at St. James's, the Twenty-ſecond Day of October 1741, and in the Fifteenth Year of our Reign.

GOD Save the King.

St. James's, October 22.

This Day, the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen of the City of London waited on His Majeſty, to congratulate Him on his ſafe Return; and being introduced to His Majeſty by his Grace the Duke of Grafton, Lord Chamberlain of His Majeſty's Houſhold, Sir John Strange, the Recorder, made their Compliments in the following Speech.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

YOUR Majeſty's ſafe Return to Great Britain being a Matter of univerſal Joy to every Part of it, the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen of your capital City, have humbly deſired this Opportunity of laying themſelves at your Majeſty's Feet, with their ſincere and moſt dutiful Congratulations upon ſo happy an Event; the bare Poſſibility of Danger to ſuch a Prince, muſt naturally ſuggeſt many anxious Thoughts to our Minds; the Day therefore which reſtored your Majeſty to this Nation in Health and Security, muſt ever be remembred with Thankfulneſs and Joy.

The Sword is now drawn in ſo many Parts of Europe and America, that we are ſenſible your Majeſty's Labours muſt be exceeding great in attending to all the different Occurrences occaſioned thereby. It is from this unwearied Application, and from the Readineſs of your faithful Subjects to aſſiſt your Majeſty in aſſerting the Rights of Great Britain, that we promiſe ourſelves a happy Iſſue of the preſent Troubles, and the Eſtabliſhment of our Trade and Commerce upon a ſolid and laſting Foundation.

Permit us, Sir, upon this our firſt Opportunity, to return your Majeſty our humble Thanks for the Charter we have lately received, whereby the Number of Juſtices of the Peace in the City of London is increas'd; this, as it was aſked and granted with a View only to the Furtherance of Juſtice, we beg Leave to aſſure your Majeſty, ſhall accordingly be applied.

May God long preſerve your Majeſty, and accompliſh all your Deſigns for the Good of your People.

To which His Majeſty was pleaſed to return this moſt gracious Anſwer.

I Thank you for this Mark of your Duty and Affection.

You may be aſſured of my conſtant and firm Reſolution to aſſert and maintain, in the moſt effectual Manner, the Rights of Great Britain; and to carry on, with Vigour, thoſe juſt and neceſſary Meaſures, which have been ſo unanimouſly ſupported, till the Trade and Commerce of theſe Kingdoms ſhall be eſtabliſhed upon a firm and laſting Foundation.

They all had the Honour to kiſs his Majeſty's Hand.

Preſbourg, Oct. 18, N. S. Count Neuperg is expected with his Army at Olmutz on the 25th Inſtant, in order to move according to the Motions of the Enemy, either into Bohemia, or towards Znaim. In the mean while, the Bavarians and French have had advanced Guards as far as St. Polton and Lembach, but their Intention is, it is thought, to paſs the Danube at or about Stain, between which Place and Znaim is the great Road from Vienna to Prague.

The Committee for Letting the City's Lands in the Account of the Chamberlain of the City of London, give Notice, That they intend to Lett by ſeveral Leaſes, the following Lots, viz. No 1. The Place or Office of one of the Ten Corn Meeters of this City, vacant by the Death of Sir William Perkins, Kt. No 2. The Place or Office of one of the Fifteen Sea Coal Meeters of this City, to Lett to Mr. Henry Symonds. And that the ſaid Committee will ſit in the Council Chamber of the Guildhall, London, on Wedneſday the 4th of November next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, to receive Propoſals for the ſame: Of which more particular Information may be had at the Comptroller's Office in the Guildhall aforeſaid.

Weſtminſter Fire-Office, Oct. 22, 1741.

The undermentioned Gentlemen are choſen Directors for the Year enſuing.

Mr. William Wilton,	Mr. Thomas Siddall,
Mr. John Sanger,	Mr. Peter Joumard,
Mr. Henry Collett,	Mr. John Pratt,
Mr. John Noone,	Mr. George Pottenger,
Mr. Stephen Cole,	Mr. Samuel Price.
Mr. Thomas Brookes,	Mr. Jacob Duhamell,
Mr. Joshua Fletcher,	Mr. William Frith,
Mr. Henry Conyers,	Mr. Charles Wale,
Mr. John Campden,	Mr. John Montgomery.

Advertiſements.

* Dr. Anderſon's of the famous SCOTS PILLS, are faithfully prepared only by D. INGLISH, at the Unicorn, over-againſt the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are deſired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes ſealed on the Top (in black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mullets Argent, Dr. Anderſon's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Iſabella Inglish underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Uſe in all Caſes where Purging is neceſſary, and may be taken with Epſom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

To

TO be ſold, together or in Parcels, to the beſt Bidder, by the Aſſignees under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt James Phillips, late of Lower Gournall, in the County of Stafford, Ironmonger, at the Houſe of Benjamin Hallen, at Stourton in the Pariſh of Rinfare, and ſaid County of Stafford, on Monday the 16th of November next, betwixt the Hours of Eleven in the Morning and Four in the Afternoon, All the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate at Lower Gournall aforeſaid; conſiſting of a good new-built Meſſuage with Warehouſes, Barns, Stables, and all convenient Outhouſes thereto belonging; and ſeveral Cloſes and Parcels of incloſed Land, Meadow and Paſture, containing in the whole about Forty Acres, late in the Poſſeſſion of the ſaid Bankrupt; together with four ſmall Tenements erected upon a Parcel of the ſaid Premiſſes, and uſually ſet at Four Pounds and Ten Shillings a Year in the Whole. Which Meſſuage and Lands above-mentioned, and Tenements thereon erected, are Copyhold within the Manor of Sedgely and County of Stafford; and Part thereof are of Free and Part of Baſe Tenure. And alſo the Great Tythes iſſuing out of all or greateſt Part of the ſaid Lands; together with a Forge in the ſaid Pariſh of Sedgely; to which the ſaid Bankrupt was intitled for the Remainder of a Term of Ninety-nine Years, and was ſet by the ſaid Bankrupt at Four Shillings a Week. And alſo a Cottage in the ſaid Pariſh lately in Poſſeſſion of Edward Weſtwood, at the yearly Rent of Twenty-five Shillings; to which the ſaid Bankrupt was intituled for the Remainder of a long Term of Years. For Particulars enquire of the Aſſignees under the ſaid Commiſſion, or of Mr. John Wylde, Attorney at Law, at Bell Broughton in Worceſterſhire.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Robert Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, A Freehold Eſtate late of Thomas Webb, Eſq; deceaſed, now in the Poſſeſſion of Mr. John Davies, lying in the Pariſhes of Gellygynon and Chweleiriog, in the County of Denbigh, of the yearly Value of 105 l. and upwards. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

TO be ſold peremptorily, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Samuel Burroughs, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-Lane, on Monday the 30th Day of November next, between the Hours of Four and Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, The Eſtate of Thomas Braſier, late of the Pariſh of Rock, in the County of Worceſter, Gent. deceaſed, lying in Lindon in the ſaid Pariſh of Rock, and all other his Real Eſtate in the ſaid Pariſh of Rock, in Mortgage to Mary Child, one of the Defendants in the Cauſe, upon the Hearing whereof the ſaid Decree was made. Particulars may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Anthony Allen, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Houſe in Corſitor-ſtreet, London, on Friday the 20th Day of November next, between the Hours of Five and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, A Freehold Eſtate at Loddington in the County of Leiceſter, of the Value of 173 l. a Year, or thereabouts, ſubject to the Payment of 20 s. a Week to Mr. Robert Morris for his Life. And alſo an Eſtate, Part Freehold, Part Copyhold and Part Leaſehold, ſituate at Stratford near Bow in Eſſex, of the yearly Value of 37 l. 10 s. late the Eſtates of Mrs. Margaret Morris, deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Houſe.

PURſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of James Pain, late of the Pariſh of Chriſt Church, in the County of Middleſex, Diſtiller, deceaſed, are to come in and prove their Debts before Richard Edwards, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-Lane, before the 28th Day of November next, or in Default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PURſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, Notice is hereby given to the Creditors of Thomas Baker, late of Stratford Langthorne, in the County of Eſſex, Apothecary, deceaſed, that they are to come in and make Proof of their Debts before Francis Eld, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chamber in Symond's Inn in Chancery-lane, London, or they will be excluded all Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PURſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, Notice is hereby given to the Creditors of Sarah Baker, late of Stratford Langthorne, in the County of Eſſex, Widow, deceaſed, that they are to come in and make Proof of their Debts before Francis Eld, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chamber in Symond's Inn in Chancery-lane, London, or they will be excluded all Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Gifford, late of the Pariſh of Saint Pancras, in the County of Middleſex, Brick-maker and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 31ſt of October Inſtant, on the 10th of November next, and on the 5th of December following, at Three in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Elliott Taylor, Attorney, in Hatton Garden, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Evans, late of Pentrebach, in Brecknockſhire, Hoſier and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 3d and 10th of November next, and on the 5th of December following, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Timothy Waldo, Attorney, in Old Broad-ſtreet, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Gwinnell, of St. Paul's Churchyard, London, Glaſs-grinder and Cabinet-maker, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 28th of October Inſtant, the 3d of November next, and on the 5th of December next, at Four in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Crawford, Attorney, on St. Mary Hill, London.

THE Commiſſioners in a renewed Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Taylor, late of Woodbridge, in the County of Suffolk, Chapman, intend to meet on the 28th of November next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Watſon, of the City of Durham, in the Biſhoprick of Durham, Mercer and Chapman, intend to meet on Saturday the Twenty-firſt Day of November next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts under the ſaid Commiſſion, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Wilſon and George Fothergill, of the Pariſh of St. Andrew Holbourn, in the County of Middleſex, Brewers and Copartners, intend to meet on the 16th of November next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Smith, late of Windmill-ſtreet, in the Pariſh of St. James, within the Liberty of Weſtminſter, in the County of Middleſex, Coach-maker, intend to meet on the 14th of November next, at Four in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

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